State of California Department of Education

LAST MINUTE MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 3, 2004

TO: MEMBERS, STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

FROM: Judy Pinegar, Education Administrator

Waiver Office

RE: Item No. W-9

SUBJECT: Request by Simi Valley Unified School District for a renewal to waive

Education Code (EC) Section 37202, the equity length of time

requirement to allow a full day kindergarten program at eleven of the district's twenty-one elementary schools, Berylwood, Crestview, Justin,

Katherine, Knolls, Madera, Park View, Santa Susana, Sycamore,

Township and White Oak Elementary Schools.

This is to correct the number of schools included in the equity length of time renewal waiver request from Simi Valley Unified School District.

The district added one school to the waiver request after the Waiver Office received the request. That one additional school, Sycamore, was omitted as a new school in the waiver request summary. Therefore, the last sentence of the first paragraph of the write-up should read, "The current waiver requests the addition of Crestview, Madera, Sycamore and White Oak Elementary schools."

The bargaining unit has reviewed the waiver request as well as all the of the school site councils in the district. There was no opposition to this waiver request.